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The Honorable,

The Secretary of the Interior.

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose herewith contract between this Office and the directors of Teton District Public School, Kern County, California, for the education, etc., of 20 Indian pupils at the rate of 30¢ per capita per day, amounting to \$360 per quarter during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917.

I recommend approval of the enclosed contract.

Respectfully,

(Signed) C. F. Hauke

Acting Assistant Commissioner.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL CONTRACT

We,

C. F. Hauke Acting Assistant

Commissioner of Indian Affairs, in behalf of the United States of America, and

Minnie Mc KenzieDirectors of School District Rejoan, County of KernState of California, have this day entered into the following contract:

The said directors agree:

1. To admit to the public school in the district named during the fiscal year ending June 30, 191

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Indian children between the ages of five and eighteen years, whose parents are members of

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tribe of Indians under the

jurisdiction of the U. S. Special Indian Agent Reno, Nevada.

2. To give such Indian pupils the same instruction, in the same classes and with the same privileges, as white children.
3. To report concerning the attendance and progress of Indian pupils upon forms to be furnished by the Indian Office.
4. To enroll under this contract only pupils of one-quarter Indian blood or more; provided that no payment shall be made hereunder for any pupils if they or their parents are citizens of the State and owners of taxable real property within the school district.
5. To permit inspection of the school property, examination of records of attendance, etc., by proper officers of the United States.
6. Not to transfer either this contract or any interest therein as prohibited by section 3737, Revised Statutes of the United States.

In consideration of the faithful performance of the aforesaid undertakings, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, on behalf of the United States, agrees:

1. To pay to said directors at the rate of Twenty cents per day

per day as compensation for each pupil taught under this contract, payment for each quarter to be computed upon the actual attendance of pupils in such quarter, but there shall not be paid to the said

directors, as compensation for any quarter, a sum aggregating more than Three Hundred Sixty Dollars(\$360.00)

1. To make settlements under this contract through the proper accounting officers to the said directors covering the quarter ending September 30, December 31, March 31, and June 30, upon vouchers in duplicate duly certified to under oath by the

Clerk of School Board or corresponding officer, and forwarded to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs by the U. S.Special Indian Agent, Reno, Nevada.

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who shall certify that in all respects the terms of this contract have been complied with according to their true intent and meaning. The term quarter in this contract means sixty days of school including legal holidays and excluding Saturday and Sunday of each week.

It is mutually agreed that:

1. No Member or Delegate to Congress shall be admitted to any share or part of this contract or any benefit arising therefrom.
2. No alteration or modification of this contract shall entitle the directors of the school district to a greater compensation than that hereinbefore provided for.
3. The Commissioner of Indian Affairs may abrogate this contract by written notice of fifteen days, served personally upon the directors of the district, or left at the schoolhouse of the public school above named, by a duly authorized officer of the United States of America; and
4. This agreement is made subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have hereunto subscribed their names and affixed their seals.

day of March, 1917
 of the Indian School and "under oath" were erased and "Special Indian Agent" were inserted in this contract before signing and sealing.
 WITNESSES: also the words "September 30, December 31 and March 31" were erased.

E. A. Cotten

C. P. Hauke

Acting Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

For party of the first part.

W. M. Saacke

David McKenzie

D. E. McKenzie

W. M. Saacke

W. M. Saacke

For parties of the second part.

STATE OF California

COUNTY OF Essex

Before me, a notary public in and for said county and State, duly commissioned and acting (commission expires

April 25, 1919

) personally appeared D. E. McKenzie and W. M. Saacke

whose genuine signatures are appended to the foregoing contract, and well known to me as Directors of School District No. _____ in the county and State aforesaid, and each acknowledged the due execution of the same by them for the purposes therein expressed and contained.

WITNESS MY HAND AND NOTARIAL SEAL this

Seventh

day of

March

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[L. S.]

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Notary Public.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,

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The foregoing contract is hereby approved.

(Signed) Alexander S. Vogelzang
 First Assistant Secretary.